



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Kenji KUSUNOKI

Application No.: 09/910,057

Filed: July 23, 2001

For: APPARATUS FOR REGISTRATION OF MULTICOLOR PRINTING IMAGES IN
A WEB-FED OFFSET PRESS

Attorney Docket No.: HAM-0005

Examiner: J. Huffman

Art Unit: 2853

Confirmation No.: 2560

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

BOX NON-FEE AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated August 22, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 1, 2 and 8 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please amend claims 3, 4, 5 and 7 as set forth below in clean form. Additionally, in accordance with 37 CFR 1.121(c)(1)(ii), the amended claim(s) are set forth in a marked-up version in the page(s) attached to this Amendment.

3. (Amended) A web-fed, multicolor, offset printing press having a series of printing units for printing different color images on a continuous web of paper or like material traveling along a predefined path at a predetermined speed, each printing unit

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(a) a plate cylinder split into a pair of halves for printing a pair of images in juxtaposition transversely of the web, the pair of halves of the plate cylinder being capable of independent displacement both axially and circumferentially of the plate cylinder for registration of the pair of images printed on the web with the other pairs of images printed by the other printing units;

(b) a blanket cylinder in rolling contact with the plate cylinder;

(c) a first pair of helical gears coaxially coupled to opposite ends of the



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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**BOX NON-FEE AMENDMENT**Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.



No additional fee is required.

The fee for the claims as amended has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED							
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID	PRESENT EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY RATE		OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	5 MINUS	20 =	0	X \$9	OR	\$18	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	1 MINUS	3 =	0	X \$42	OR	\$84	\$0.00
Fee for Multiple Dependent Claims \$140/\$280					OR		
				TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT			\$0.00



A Letter to the Official Draftsperson is enclosed.



An Associate Power of Attorney and Change of Name and Address is enclosed.

Charge \$_____ to Deposit Account No. 18-0013. A duplicate copy of this
sheet is enclosed.RECEIVED
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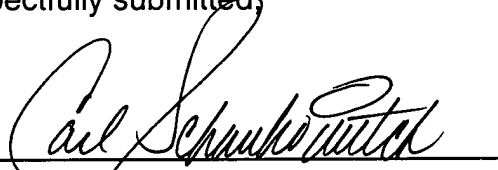
- ☐ Any prior general authorization to charge an Issue Fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 18-0013 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 18-0013. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☐ Charge \$_____ to Deposit Account No. 18-0013 to cover the Extension fee for response within _____ month(s). A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed
- ☒ Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached by telephone in our Washington D.C. Office at (202) 955-3750.

All correspondence should be directed to our below listed address.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: November 8, 2002

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